

**GOVERNMENT OF TELANGANA
ABSTRACT**

The A.P. Entertainments Tax Act, 1939 – 100% exemption under section 8 of the A.P. Entertainments Tax Act, 1939, from payment of Entertainment Tax for the Children's Telugu Feature Film "Aditya (Creative Genius)" (Telugu) (Colour), produced by M/s.Santhosh Film, Hyderabad – Granted – Orders - Issued.

REVENUE (COMMERCIAL TAXES-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 140

Dated:21-08-2015.

Read the following:-

- 1) G.O.Rt.No.301, Revenue (CT-II) Dept., dt:06.07.2015
- 2) Representation, dt:07.07.2015 of the Producer and Director, M/s Santhosh Film, Aditya children's Movie and Chairman of Lakshmi Educational Charitable Trust.
- 3) Govt.Memo.No.13366/CT-II(2)/2015-1, dt:8.7.2015
- 4) From the Commissioner, Information & Public Relations, Hyderabad, Lr.No.11110/Films/2015, dt:4.8.2015
- 5) From the Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, TS, Hyderabad, Letter Ref.No.A(3)/118/2015, dt:12.08.2015

ORDER:

In the reference 2nd read above, the producer, M/s Santhosh Films, Hyderabad has stated that they have produced a Children's Film titled "ADITYA (Creative Genius)" based on creativity in Science and Technology and basing on a Story about Aditya, an Orphanaged Child; and requested the Government for grant of 100% exemption from the levy of Entertainment Tax for the said film.

2. After carefully examining the matter, keeping in view of the recommendations of the Commissioner, Commercial Taxes, Telangana State, Hyderabad and Commissioner, Information and Public Relations, Telangana State, Hyderabad and in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 8 of the A.P. Entertainments Tax Act, 1939, the Government hereby exempt the Children's Telugu Feature Film, viz., "ADITYA (Creative Genius)" (Telugu) (Colour) from payment of Entertainment Tax leviable under the said Act.

3. The exemption granted shall be subject to the following conditions:-
- i). the rates of admission fee to the said entertainment shall not exceed Seventy five percent of existing notified rates of admission to each class of the Theatre in which the film is proposed to be screened;
 - ii). the period of exemption shall be limited to one year from the date of first release of the film in Telangana State; and
 - iii). the film should not be screened along with any other Feature Film.

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4. The Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Telangana State, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

5. This order is issued with concurrence of the Finance (EBS-VII) Dept. vide their U.O.No.433/EBS-VII/2015, dt:20.08.2015.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF TELANGANA)

**AJAY MISRA
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To:

The Commissioner of Commercial Taxes, Telangana State, Hyderabad
The Producer, M/s Santhosh Films, Producer and Director of the Telugu
feature film "ADITYA (Creative Genius)", H.No.7-1-396/2/10/4,
B.K.Guda, S.R.Nagar, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Commissioner, Information & Public Relations Department,
Telangana, Hyderabad (with a request to give wide publicity about the
conditions at para-5(i) of this order for consumers' / viewers' awareness.
The Managing Director, APSFTVTDC, FDC Complex, A.C.Guards, Hyderabad
The Accountant General, Telangana State, Hyderabad
The Home (General-A) Department, Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad.
The General Administration (Vigilance & Enforcement) Department,
Telangana, B.R.K.R. Buildings, Hyderabad.
The Finance (EBS.VII) Department, Telangana Secretariat, Hyderabad.
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// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER